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Finally, the Applicant respectfully requests that the submission of formal drawings await the issuance of a Notice of Allowability, if permitted under the rules that became effective on November 29, 2000.

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92 Field of the Invention

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93 Background of the Invention

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Hon. Commissioner of Patents
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Sir:

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If there are any fees due for entry of this submission that are not otherwise accounted for, the Applicant asks that any such fees be charged to our Deposit Account No. 03-3975, with reference to Order No. 009919/0280860.

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Fig. 1

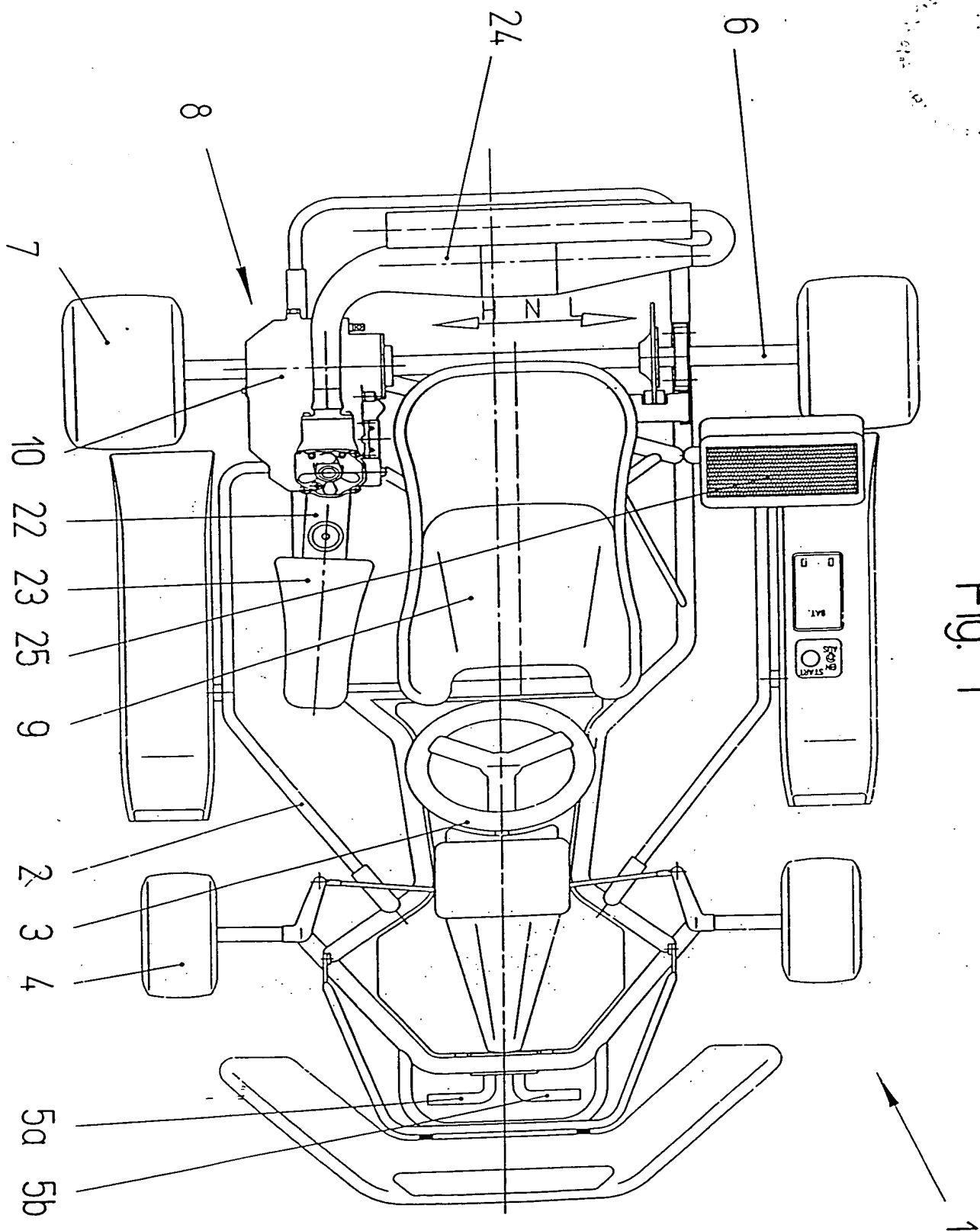


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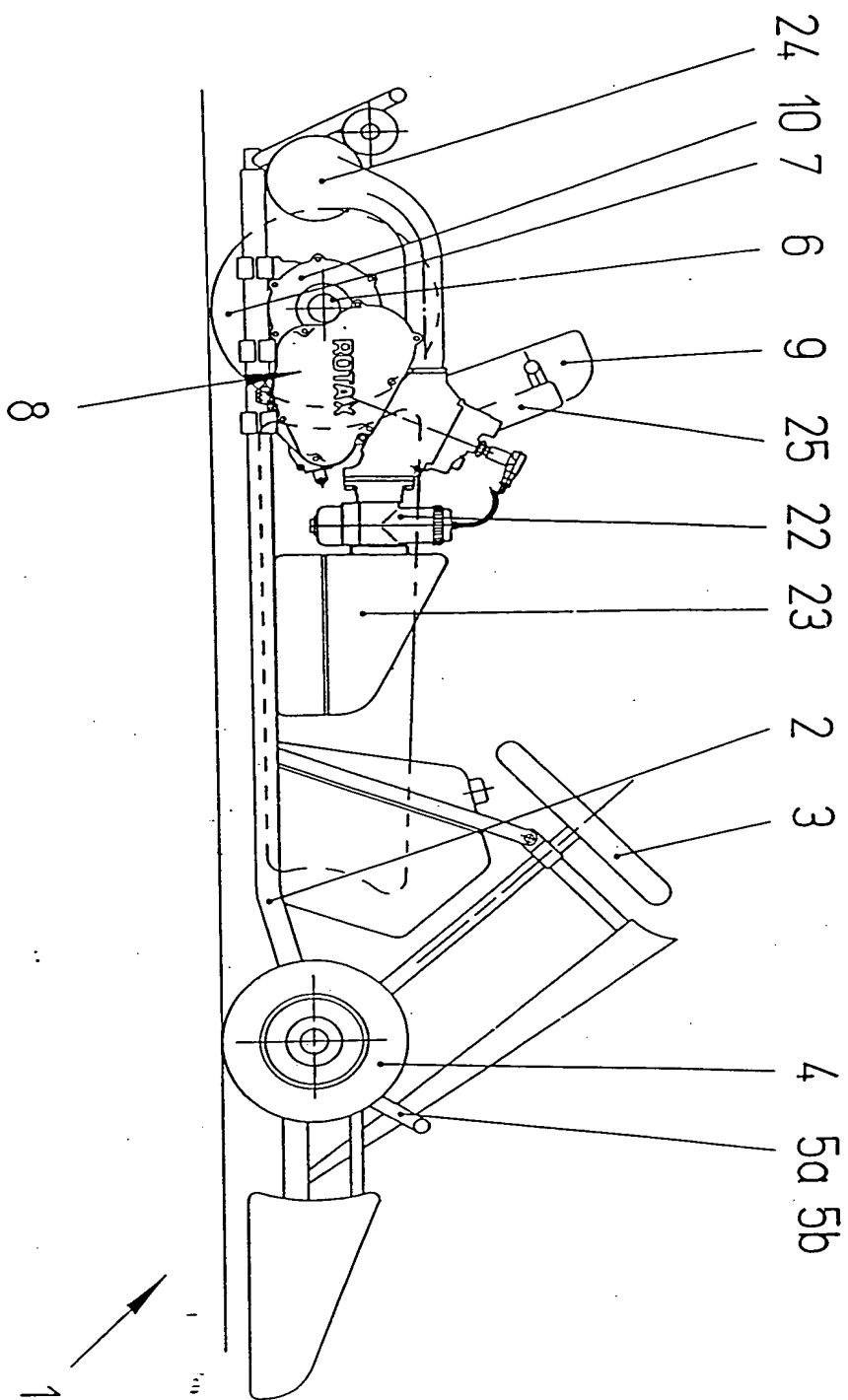
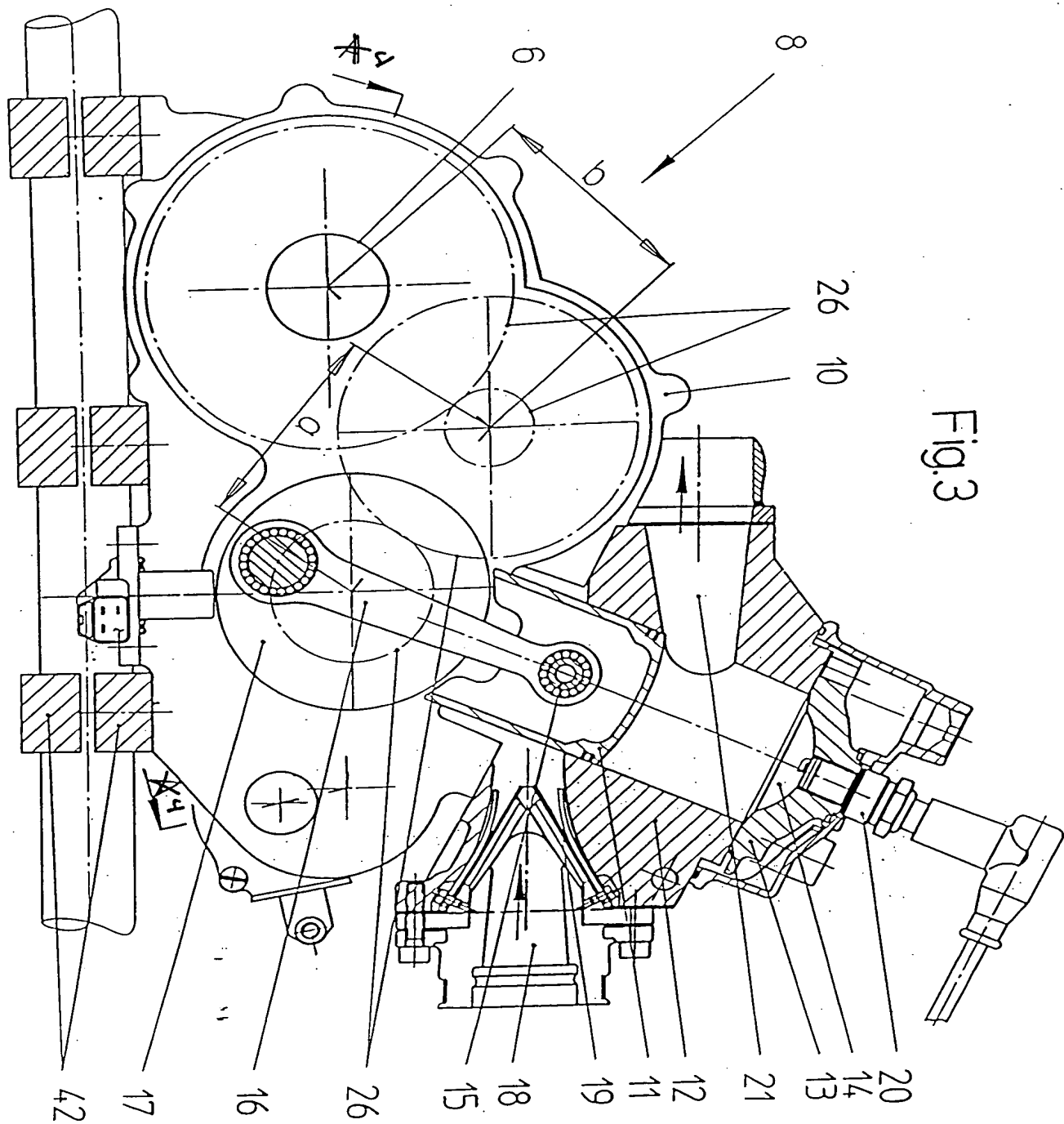
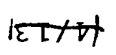


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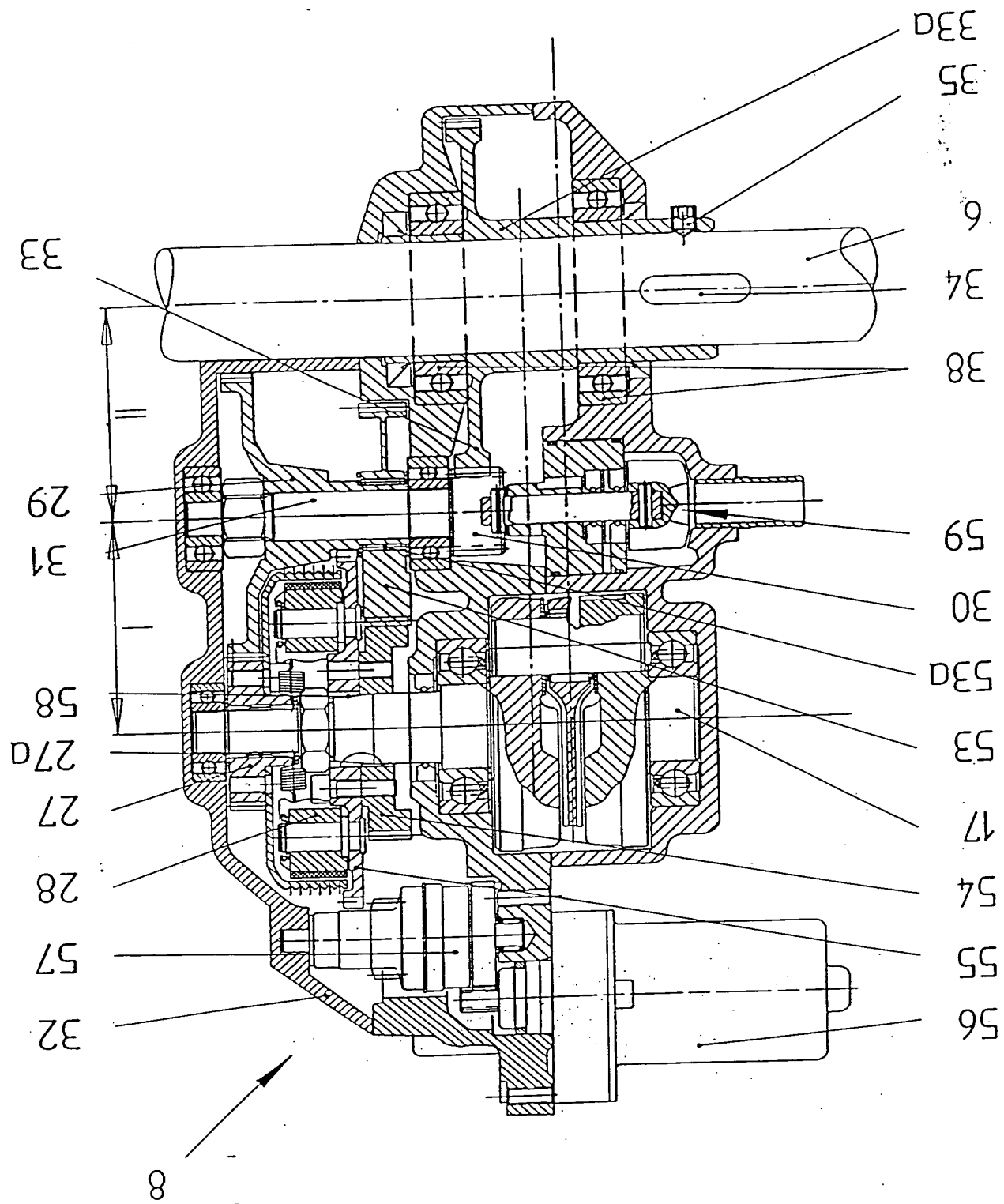


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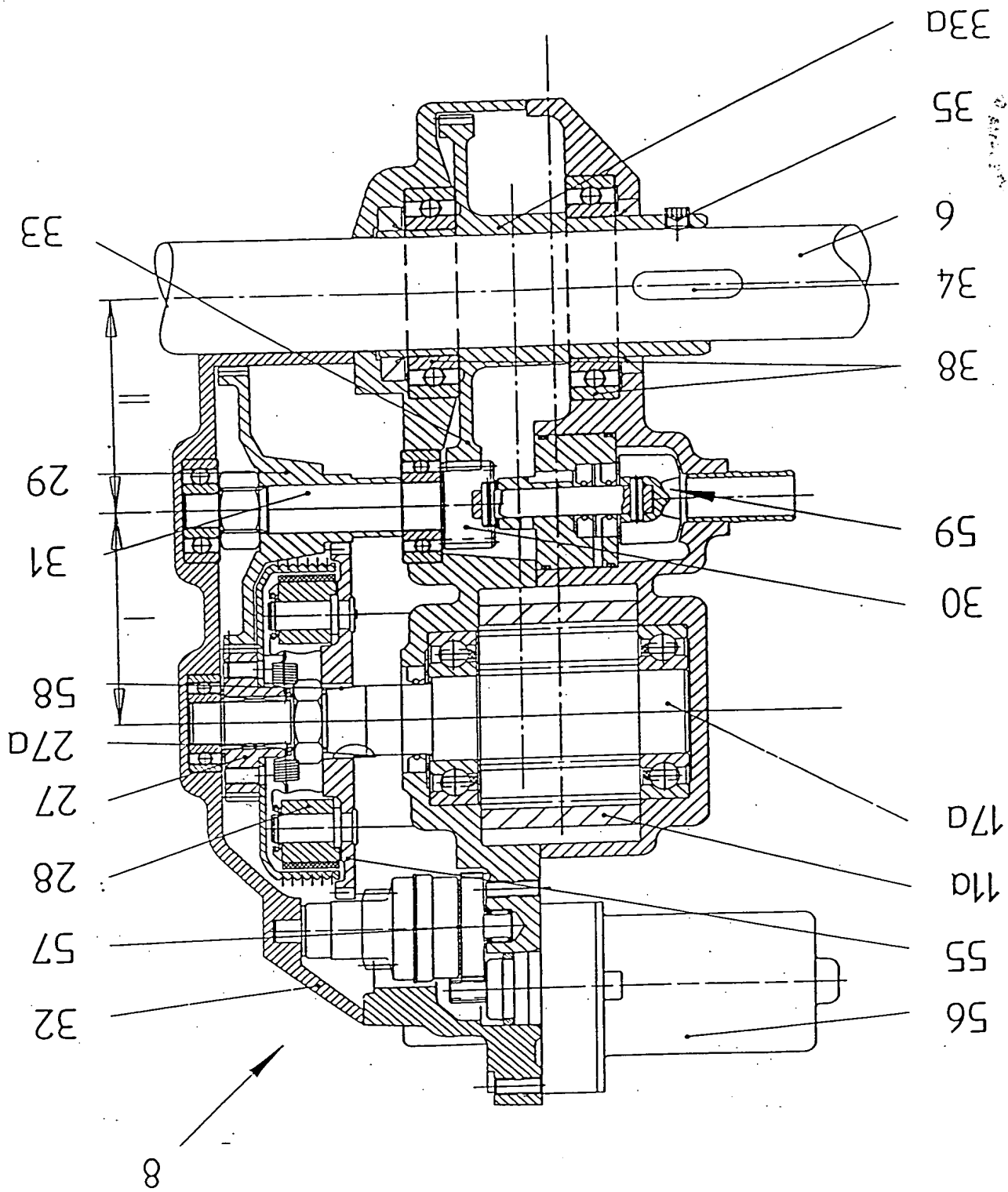


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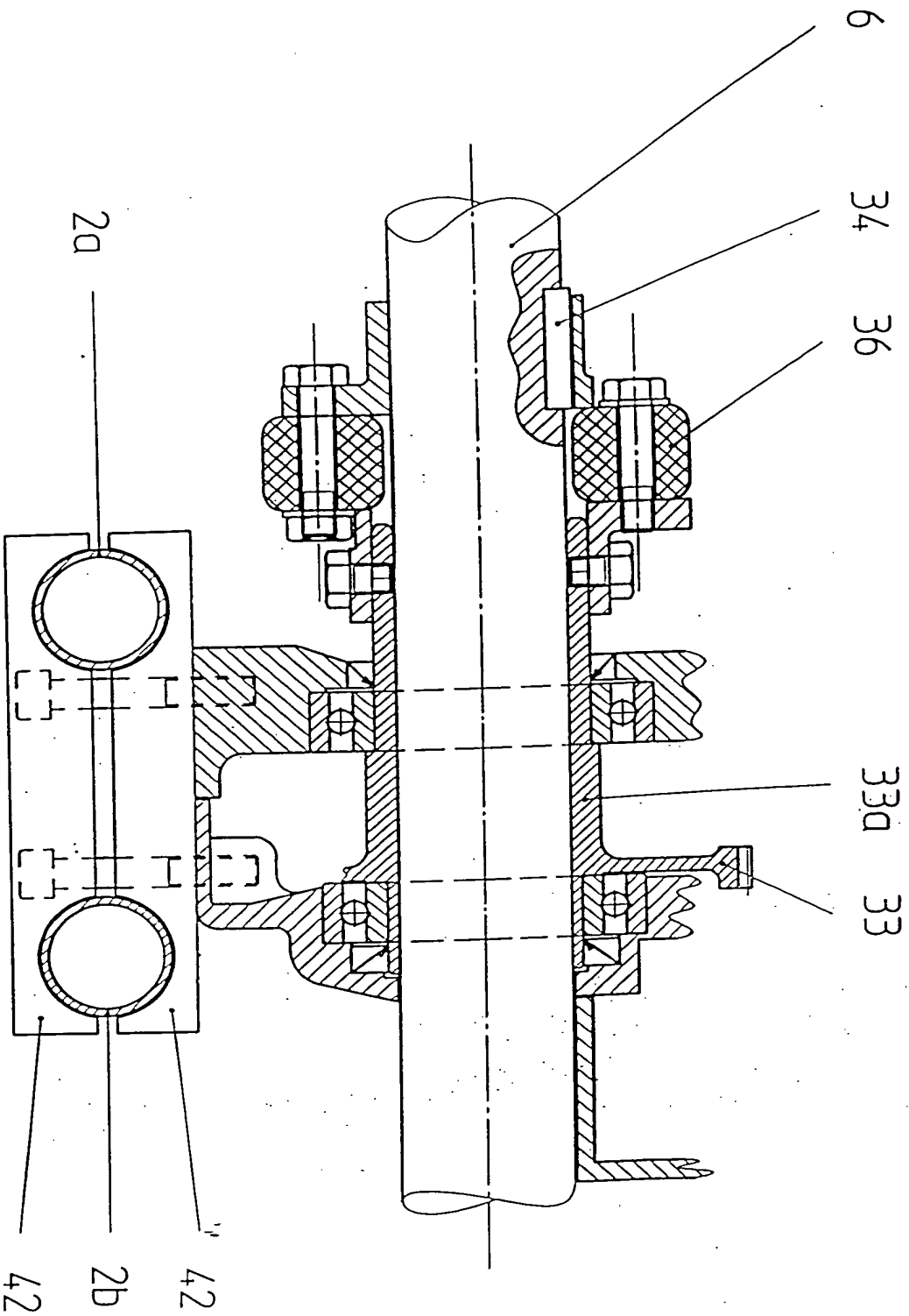


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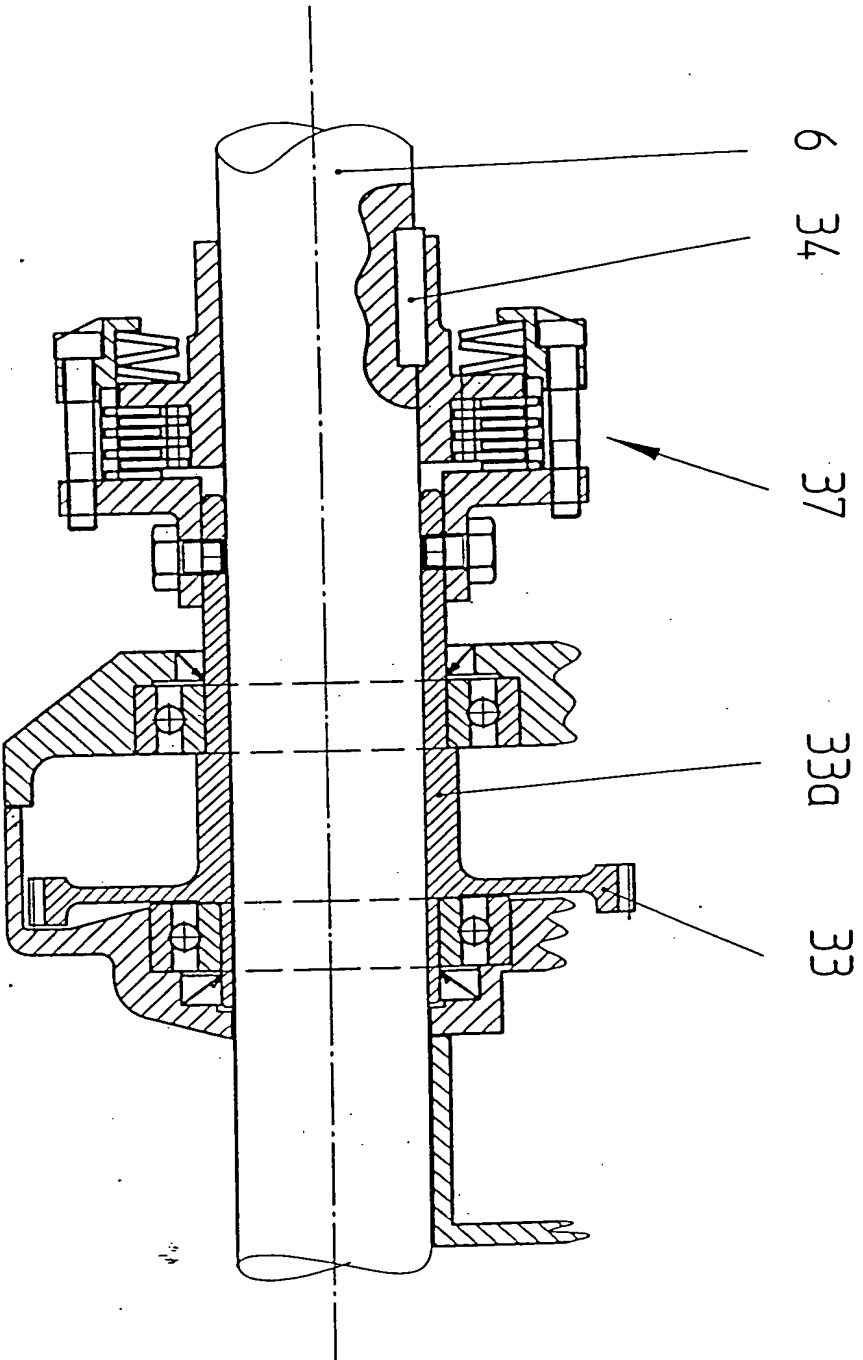
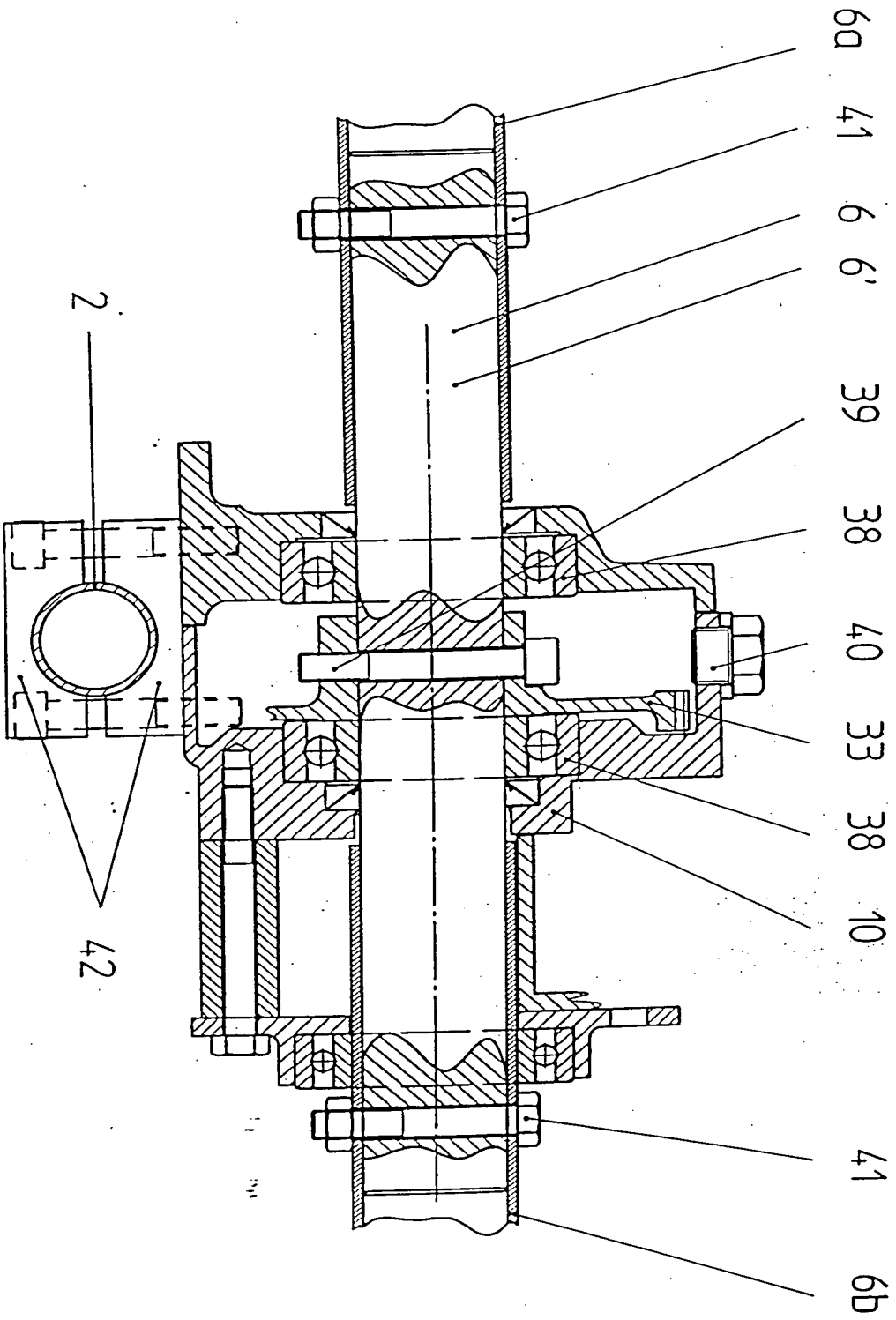


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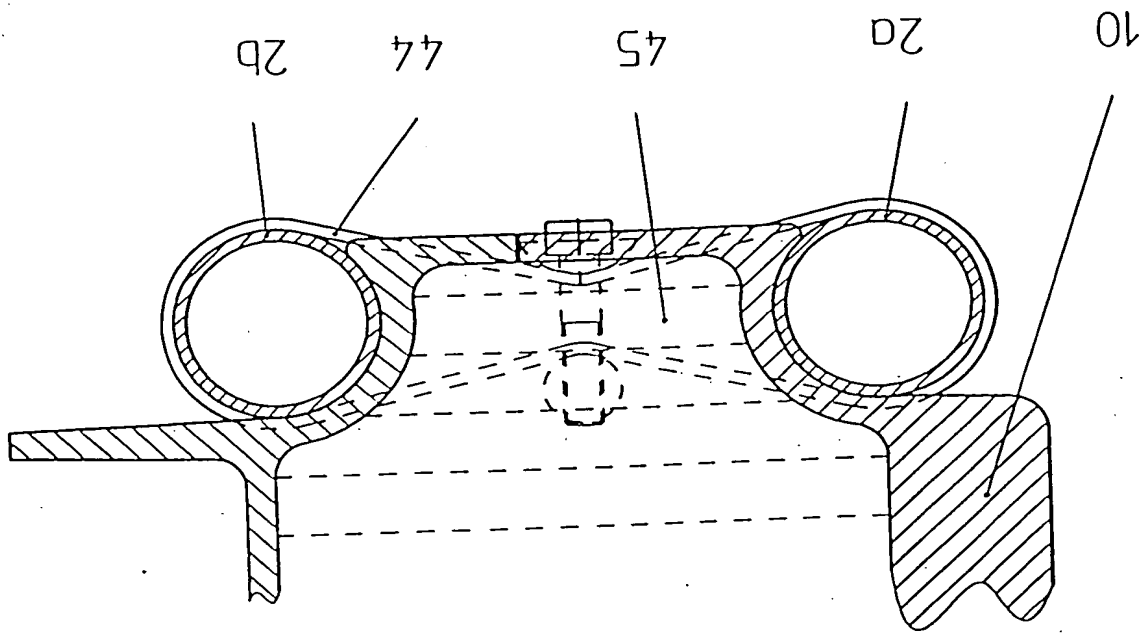


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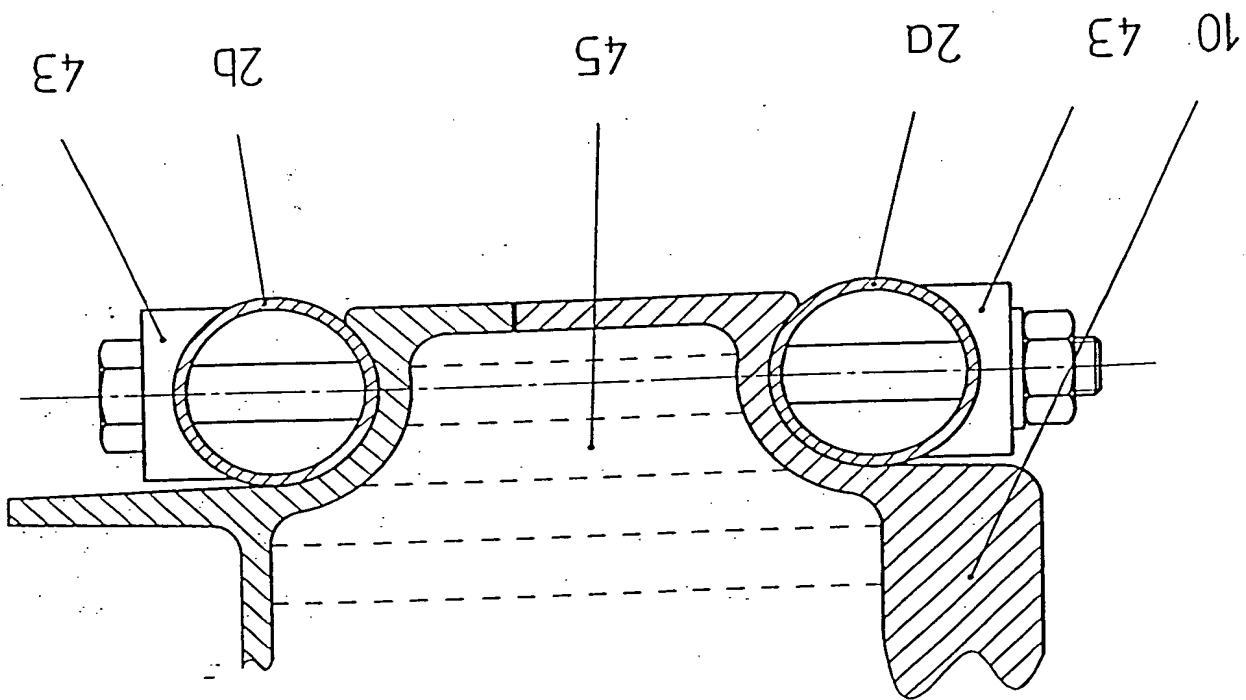


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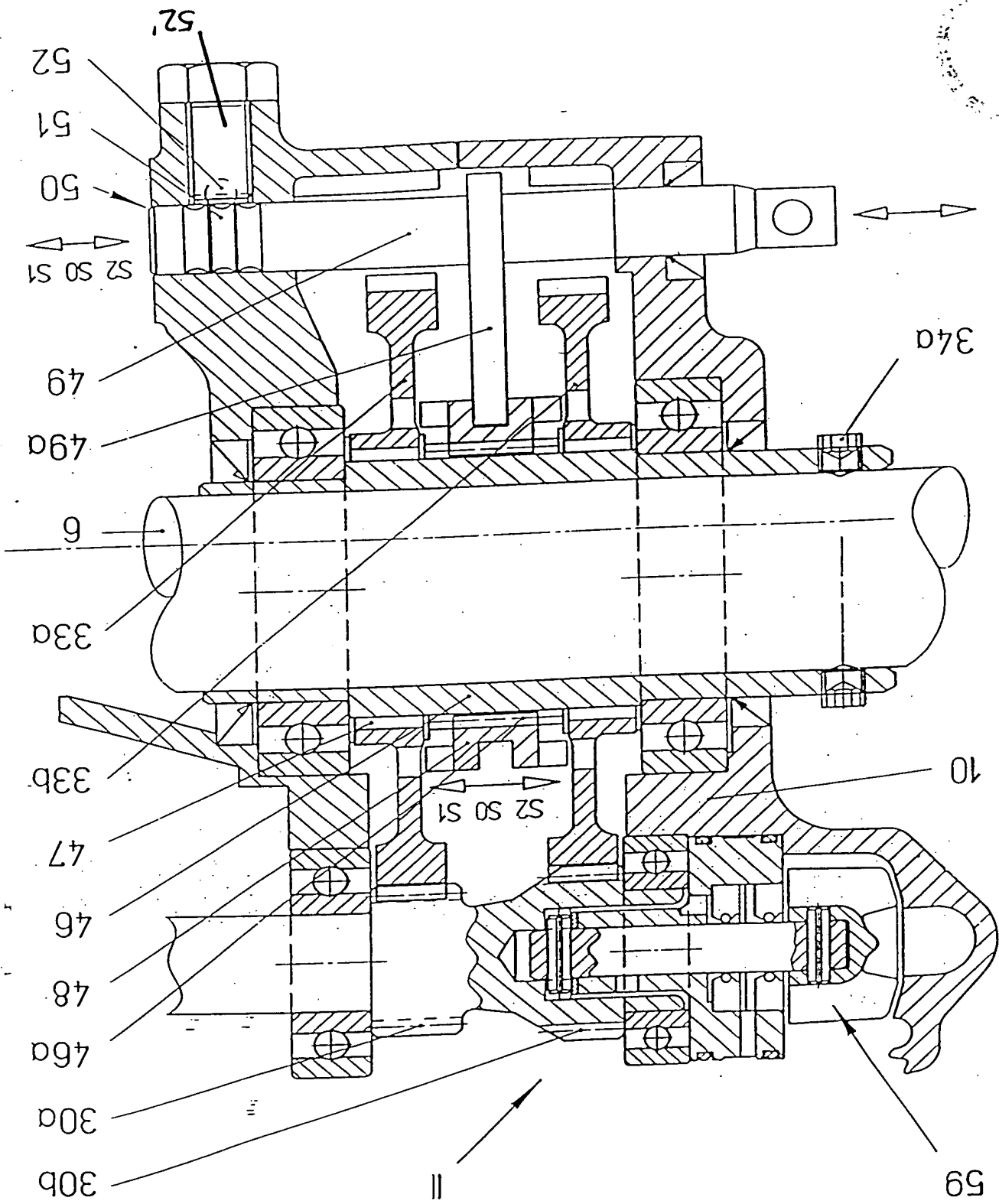
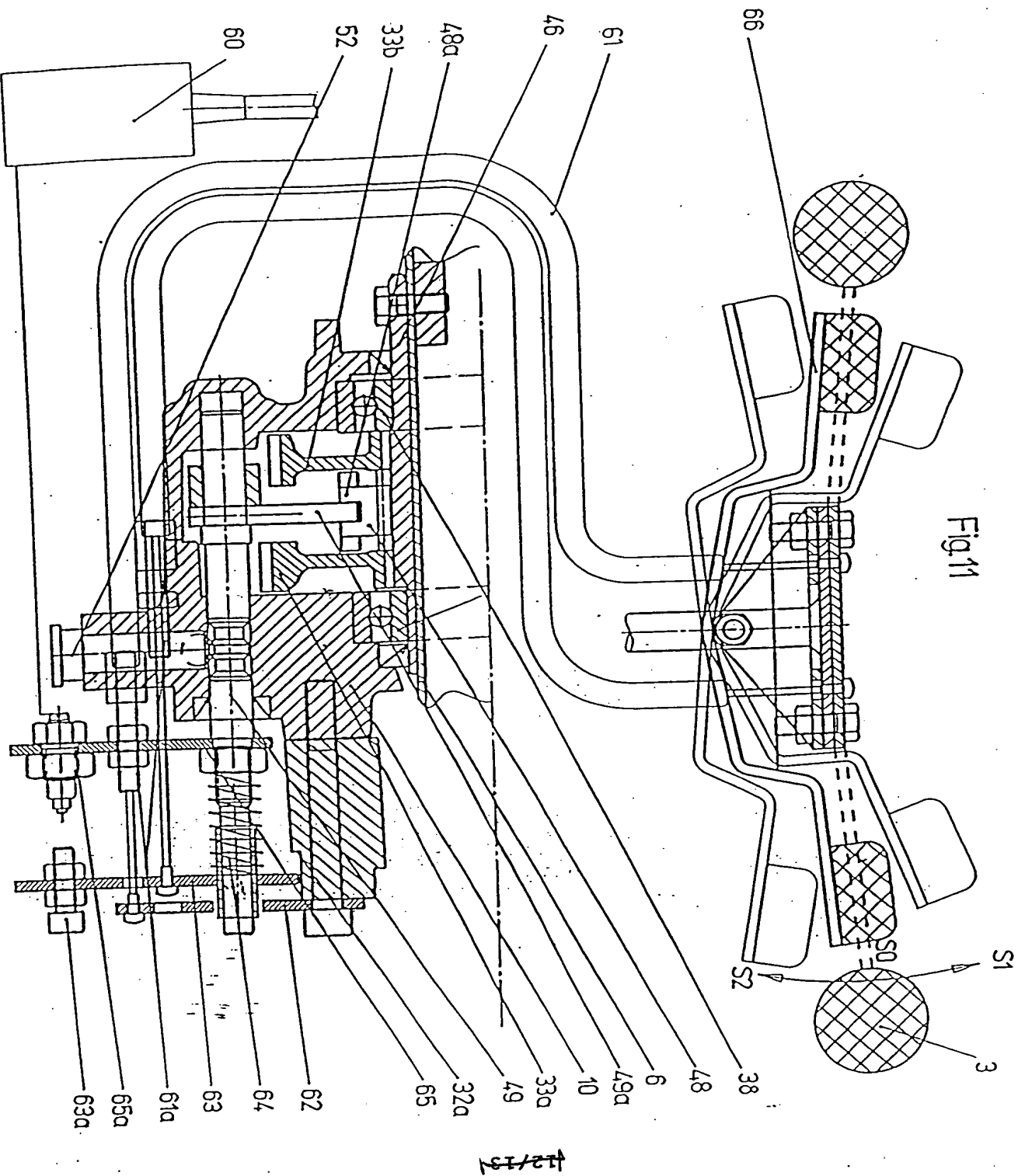
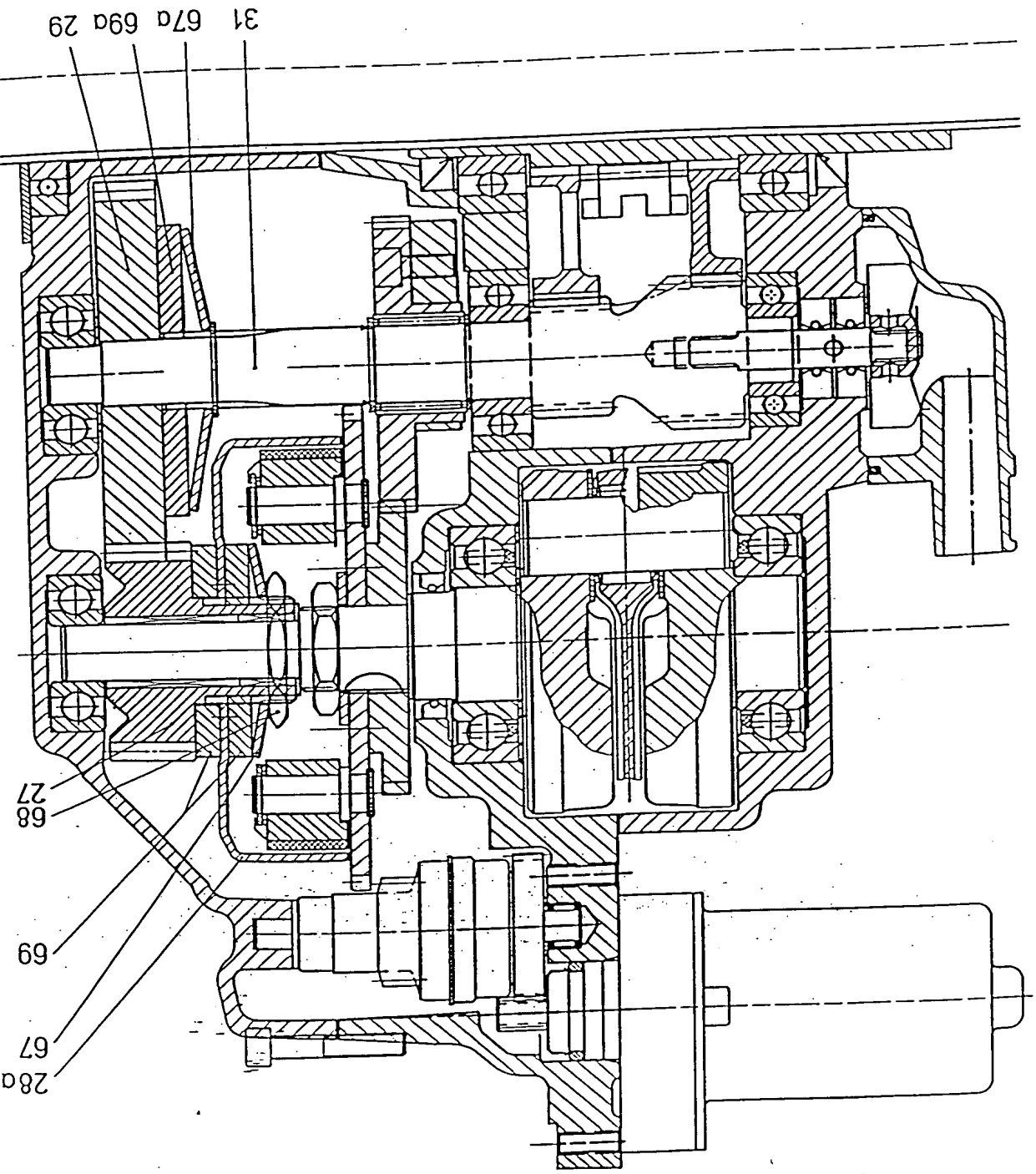


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